

Department of Human Resources & Civil Service

Job Announcement Please Post Conspicuously

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County Executive

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TITLE: PUBLIC DEFENDER ASSISTANT GRADE II

SALARY: \$66,986 - \$92,724 annually

LOCATION: Monroe County Public Defender's Office

JOB SUMMARY:

This is a responsible position in the Public Defender's Office that involves legal representation of indigent persons entitled to public defense. These employees are assigned to three areas of defense: family, appellate and criminal court. The work involves investigating and preparing Court Cases, preparing of appeals for those defendants for whom an appeal seems advisable, interviewing of clients and related persons and appearing in court on a regular basis. General supervision is received from the Public Defender and the Special Assistant Public Defender. Supervision of others is not a responsibility of this class. Does related work as required.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE IDEAL CANDIDATE:

- 1. The Public Defender Assistant Grade II shall be an attorney duly licensed to practice law in the State of New York and admitted to practice in all courts within the scope of the plan.
- 2. The Public Defender Assistant Grade II must have an ability to work with the judges, lawyers, court administrators, other persons within the court system, and court officials.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Candidates for employment with Monroe County Government will be required to pass a pre-employment drug test, along with a background investigation. Failure to meet the standards may result in disqualification.

If you are appointed, you will be required to possess a valid license to operate a motor vehicle in New York State or otherwise demonstrate your capacity to meet the transportation needs of the position.

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT:

Applicant must be a resident of Monroe County at the time of appointment.

SEND RESUME, COVER LETTER AND WRITING SAMPLE TO:

MONROE COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER'S OFFICE 10 NORTH FITZHUGH STREET ROCHESTER, NY 14614

Posting Date: December 20, 2021

Posting Deadline: Until Filled